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INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT FOUNDATION

TEL AVIV PASS ECONOMIC COUNCELOR, PARIS, (FOR RFC)

REFERENCE: A. STATE B. STATE 101866

1. EXCHANGE OF LETTERS BETWEEN ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY C. FRED BERGSTEN AND AMBASSADOR DINITZ ESTABLISHING THE FOUNDATION HAS NOW BEEN SCHEDULED FOR WEDNESDAY, MAY 18, 1977 AT 4 P.M. (WASHINGTON TIME). ENTIRE FINANCIAL TRANSACTION OUTLINED IN REFTELS MUST, THEREFORE, TAKE PLACE ON SAME DATE.

2. WE WOULD APPRECIATE KNOWING ASAP ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS RAISED IN REFTELS, ESPECIALLY WHETHER PROCEDURES OUTLINED IN REFTELS POSE ANY PROBLEMS. IF QUERIED BY GOI OFFICIALS ABOUT INABILITY OF SECRETARY BLUMENTHAL TO PARTICIPATE IN CEREMONY, EMBOFFS SHOULD INDICATE THAT BLUMENTHAL'S IMMEDIATE SCHEDULE WAS VERY CROWDED AND IT WAS DECIDED TOGETHER WITH ISRAEL EMBASSY OFFICIALS THAT TIMELY ESTABLISHMENT OF FOUNDATION, WHICH WOULD PERMIT FOUNDATION TO BEGIN

ACCRUING INCOME AND TO SET UP ITS OPERATIONS WAS MORE IMPORTANT THAN DELAYING CEREMONY TO HAVE HIGH LEVEL U.S. PARTICIPATION.

3. WE HAVE JUST BEEN INFORMED BY RAFF OF ISRAEL EMBASSY THAT FOUNDATION'S ACCOUNT NUMBERS IN BANK OF ISRAEL WILL BE: ISRAELI POUND ACCOUNT (A OF REFTELS): NO. 070000005; DOLLAR ACCOUNT (B OF REFTELS): NO. 830100004. EMBASSY TEL AVIV REQUESTED TO CONFIRM ACCURACY OF NUMBERS AND WHETHER ACCOUNT IS IN FOUNDATION'S NAME. USDO PARIS UNCLASSIFIED

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REQUESTED TO CONFIRM THAT WITH THIS INFORMATION IT HAS ALL AUTHORITY AND INFORMATION TO COMPLETE TRANSACTION WITHOUT REFERENCE TO WASHINGTON UPON RECEIPT OF CABLE FROM TEL AVIV ON MAY 18, 1977.

4. WE HAVE CALCULATED THAT THIRD CHECK REPRESENTING INTEREST PAYMENTS ON NON-MOV DEBT THAT IS BEING ENTIRELY PREPAID SHOULD BE IL 1,114,948.35. WE HAVE REVIEWED BACK-UP CALCULATIONS WITH RAFF, WHO HAS POUCHED INFO TO FINANCE MINISTRY (ALDOUBY). EMBOFF REQUESTED TO VERIFY FIGURE WITH FINANCE MINISTRY AND CONFIRM. IF EMBOFF NEEDS BREAK-DOWN BY LOAN NUMBER, PLEASE LET US KNOW AND WE WILL PROVIDE INFO. CHRISTOPHER

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